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**Curriculum Vitae and List of Publications**

• **Personal Details**

**Name:** Sara L. Helman

**Date and Place of Birth:** February 12, 1952, Cordoba, Argentina

**Date of Immigration:** 1973

**Citizenship:** Israeli and Argentinean

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• **Education**

**1975-1977 B.A.** Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Hebrew University, Jerusalem

**1978-1984 M.A.** Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Hebrew University, Jerusalem

**Thesis Advisor:** Professor Reuven Kahane

**Thesis Title:** "Millenarian Movements in Java in the Nineteenth Century".

**1986-1994 Ph.D.** Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Hebrew University

**Thesis Advisor:** Prof. Baruch Kimmerling

**Thesis Title:** "Conscientious Objection to Military Service as an Attempt to Redefine the Contents of Citizenship."

• **Employment History**

**2012-2013**

**Visiting Schoar**

Center for European Studies, Sciences Po, Paris, France

**2004-2005**

**Visiting Scholar**

Department of Sociology – Northwestern University- Evanston, IL., USA

**2003-present**

**Senior Lecturer**

Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Ben Gurion University

**1994- 2002**

**Lecturer**

Department of Behavioral Sciences, Ben Gurion University

**1993**

**External Instructor**

Department of Behavioral Sciences, Ben Gurion University

**1986-1993**

**Instructor**

Department of Sociology and Anthropology -- School of Education  
Hebrew University, Jerusalem

**1987-1988**

**Instructor**

Ohalim Community College -- Jerusalem

**1984-1987**

**Instructor**

Open University

**1978-1985**

**Research Assistant**

Center for the Documentation and Research of Israeli Society - Department of  
Sociology, Hebrew University, Jerusalem

**Teaching Assistant**

Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Hebrew University, Jerusalem

• **Professional Activities**

(a) **Position in Academic Administration**

**2007- 2011 – Steering Committee - Gender Studies**

**2005- 2012** Chair of the Critical Sociology Track – Department of Sociology  
and Anthropology

**2007-2009:** Chair of the Sociology and Anthropology MA Teaching  
Committee

**2011-2012** Chair of the Sociology and Anthropology MA Teaching  
Committee

**2005- 2012**

Chair of the Admission Committee to Sociology and Anthropology (together  
with Dr. Daniel Maman)

**2003-2005**

Coordinator – Departmental Colloquium – Department of Behavioral Sciences

**2002-2003**

Coordinator – Anthropology-Sociology Forum – Department of Behavioral Sciences

**2000**

2<sup>nd</sup> Humphrey Institute International Conference: Challenges to Democracy: Peripheries as a Vantage Point – Organizing Board.

**1999-2001**

Coordinator – Departmental Seminar – Department of Behavioral Sciences.

**1998-1999**

Coordinator – Faculty Seminar— Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences and Humphrey Institute for Social Policy.

**1997-1998**

Coordinator – Anthropology Sociology Forum – Department of Behavioral Sciences

**1997-1998**

Planning Committee – Department of Behavioral Sciences

**1995-1996**

Head of the Sociology Track – Department of Behavioral Sciences

**1995-1996**

Appointment and Promotion Committee – Department of Behavioral Sciences

**(b) Professional Functions Outside University Institutions**

**2005-2009**

Member of the Executive Board –Israeli Sociological Association

**2007-2009**

Steering Committee Israeli Sociological Society Annual Conference

**Membership in Editorial Boards:**

**2001- present**

Member of the International Advisory Board: Culture, Theory and Critique

**1996-1997**

Member of the Editorial Board: Israeli Social Science Research

**Journals:**

Ad-hoc Reviewer: Israeli Sociology; Megamot; Israeli Social Science Research; Social Politics; Journal of Contemporary Ethnography; Culture, Theory and Critique, Nashim, Theory and Criticism, Identities, American Sociological Review, Qualitative Sociology, Signs, American Ethnologist, Women, Policy

and Politics.

**Academic Presses:**

Ad hoc reviewer: SUNY Press, Van Leer Institute-Hakibbutz Hameuchad, Open University Press, Magnes Press.

**(c) Membership in Scientific Associations**

**1993- present** Israeli Sociological Association

**1994- present** International Sociological Association

**1996- present** Association for Israel Studies

**1998- 2000** Social Science History Association

**2000-present** American Sociological Association

• **Educational Activities**

**(a) Courses Taught**

The Political Sociology of the Welfare State – MA level

Gender in the Welfare State – MA level

Contemporary Social Theory – MA level

Social Structure of Israel – BA level

Sociology of the Individual – MA level

Deviance, Protest and Social Innovation – BA level

Advanced Sociological Theory and Research – MA level

Qualitative Research Methods – BA and MA levels

The Sociology of Citizenship – MA level

Contentious Politics: The Sociology of Social Movements – MA and BA levels

**(b) MA Students**

Niv Shachar: The Arenas of IDF Activity and the Construction of Soldiering, Department of Behavioral Sciences, Sociology Track (submitted June 2000)

Elishevah Izmi: Married to the Military: Officer's Wives and their Perception of Military Life Style, Department of Behavioral Sciences, Sociology Track (submitted November 2001).

Noga Weiner: The Politization of Motherhood: The Case of "Four Mothers" Department of Behavioral Sciences, Sociology Track (Submitted December 2002).

Gay Aboutboul: Shas and the Alternative Discourse to Secular Zionism, Department of Behavioral Sciences, Sociology Track (submitted September 2004).

Maya Tzfati: "The Courage to Refuse" – Conscientious Objection and the Politics of Identity in Israel (Submitted September 2004)

Alma Vardary Kessler: Women's Movements in Post-War Kosovo: Between the Global and the Local (together with Dr. Nitza Berkovitch) (Submitted September 2006).

Anat Lieber: There is no Pride in the Occupation: "Dirty Laundry" and the Diversification of the Gay-Lesbian Movement in Israel (Submitted September 2006).

Nadav Peretz: Men, and Fathers in the Israeli Welfare State. (Submitted – October 2007)

Tali Milstein: Animal Rights Movements in Israel: Discourse and the Constitution of Animals as a Rights Bearing Category (together with Dr. Nitza Berkovitch) (Submitted January 2007)

Shmuel Rosenberg: Combat Soldiers and War Experience during the Second War in Lebanon (Submitted October 2009)

Sivan Abrahami- Bakish Jews and Arabs in the Israeli Peace Movement (submitted August 2010)

Ofra ben Porat - Combatants for Peace: the redefinition of citizenship and masculinity (Submitted September 2010)

Ofira ben Schlomo: Survival networks and strategies amongst income support Recipients (Submitted April 2011).

Ortal Derech: Parkour: immigration, marginality and spatial practices (with Dr. Julia Lerner) (Submitted May 2012).

Hagar Gutman: Terror and state and nation building (submitted September 2012)

Mali Margi: Margins meet margins: boarding schools and the construction of young women's class, gender and national identity.

Keren Dan David: Work Family Reconciliation Strategies Amongst Career Women

Michal Russek: Philanthropic Organizations and the Privatization of Education (together with Dr. Yariv Feniger)

Yulia Shevchenko: Who we are, and what do we claim? The 2011-12 social protest movement

## © **Doctoral Students**

David Ratner: Music Taste and Consumption amongst Ethiopian Youngsters (with Prof. Uri Ram)

Asa Marom: Transformations in Israeli Social Citizenship (1975-2007): Local Institutions, Agents and International Policy Conventions in the Formation of a New Mode of Regulation.

Rami Adut: The working self: habitus transformation amongst mobile Mizrahi and Palestinian families in a Jerusalem neighbourhood.

Ayala Keisar-Sugarman: Citizenship and Nation amongst non-Jewish immigrants from the FSU (together with Dr. Julia Lerner)

Yariv Mohar: Social Justice and Human Rights NGOs and their interactions with the publics they claim to represent (together with Prof. Dani Filc)

## **Awards, Citations, Honors and Fellowships**

### (a) **Honors, Citation, Awards**

Ben Halpern Award in Israel Studies for the Best Doctoral Dissertation in the Study of the Yishuv, Zionism and the State of Israel. Association for Israel Studies

## • **Scientific Publications**

### a) **Chapters in Collective Volumes**

**Helman, S. 2010** "Conscientious Objection," in, Ch. Rubenberg (ed.) *The Encyclopedia of the Israeli Palestinian Conflict*. Boulder, Colorado, Lynne Rienner Publishers.

**Helman, S. 2007** "Gender and Citizenship," pp. 505-580, In: Niza Yanai, Chanah Naveh and Tamar Elor, Orly Lubin, Hannah Naveh, Tammy Amiel-Hauzer (Eds.), *Venues of Feminist Thinking*. Tel Aviv, Open University Press.

**Helman, S. 2007** "Obstruction and Flexibility: On Israel's Citizenship Regime in the Age of Globalization," pp. 125-150, In: Hannah Herzog, Tal Kohavi and Shimshon Tzelniker (Eds.) *Generations, Locations, Identities: Contemporary Perspectives on Society and Culture in Israel : Essays in the Honor of S.N. Eisenstadt*. Jerusalem, Van Leer Institute (Hebrew)

**Helman, S. 2007.** "Women's Peace Movements," In: Paula E. Hyman and Dalia Ofer (Eds.) *Jewish Women: A Comprehensive Historical Encyclopedia*, Jerusalem, Shalvi Publishing Ltd.

**Helman, S. 2007.** "Military Service, Militarism and Inequality," In: Uri Ram and Nitza Berkovitch (Eds): *In/ Equality*, Tel-Aviv, Hakibbutz Hameuchad Publishing House (Hebrew).

**Nitza Berkovitch and S. Helman. 2005.** 'Transnational Social Movements: the Women's and Gay and Lesbian Movement' in *The Blackwell Companion to Gender*, Filomena Essed (ed.), Cambridge, Blackwell).

**Helman, S. 2003.** "Citizenship, Peace Protest and the Construction of Ethnic Boundaries", in Uri ben Eliezer and M. El-Hadj (eds.) *On Behalf of Security: The Sociology of Peace and War in Israel*. Haifa, Haifa University Press (Hebrew).

**Helman, S. and Andre Levy:** 2001. "Shas in Israeli Media Discourse", in Yoav Peled (ed.) *Shas- Etgar Haisraeliut*. Pp. 390-424, Tel Aviv: Yedihot Achronot Press (Hebrew).

**Helman, S.** 2001. "Citizenship Regime, Identity and Peace Protest in Israel", in: Daniel Maman, Zeev Rosenhek and Eyal Ben-Ari (eds): *The Military, State and Society in Israel: Theoretical and Comparative Perspectives*. Pp. 295-318. New Brunswick, Transaction Publishers.

**Helman, S. 2000.** "Rights and Duties; Citizens and Soldiers: Conscientious Objection and the Redefinition of Citizenship in Israel". Pp. 316-337, in: Nils Butenschon, Uri Davis and M. Hassassian (eds) *Citizenship and the State in the Middle East*, Ithaca, N.Y., Syracuse University Press.

**Helman, S. 2000.** "Militarism and the Construction of the Life World of Israeli Males." Pp. 191-221, in: Eyal ben Ari and Edna Lomski-Feder (eds) *The Military and Militarism in Israel* Albany, N.Y. SUNY Press

### **b) Refereed Articles in Scientific Journals**

**Sara Helman.** 2011. "Let us help them raise their children into good citizens: Lone Parents' Families Act and the Wages of Caregiving in Israel" *Social Politics* 18, 1: 52-81.

**Fran Markowitz, Sara Helman and Dafna Shir-Vertesh 2003.** "Soul Citizenship: The Black Hebrews and the State of Israel." *American Anthropologist* 105 (2) : 303-312 (June)

**Helman, S. 2002.** "Monologic Results of Dialogue: Jewish-Palestinian Encounter Groups as Sites of Essentialization." *Identities: Global Studies in Culture and Power* 9,3: 327-354 (July-September)

**Helman, S. 1999** "From soldiering and motherhood to citizenship: a study of four Israeli peace protest groups." *Social Politics* 6,3:292-313 (Fall)

- Helman, S. 1999.** "War and Resistance: Israeli Civil Militarism and its Emergent Crisis." *Constellations* 6,3:391-410.
- Helman, S. 1999.** "Negotiating Obligations, Creating Rights: Conscientious Objection and the Redefinition of Citizenship in Israel". *Citizenship Studies* 3,1:45-70.
- Helman, S. 1999** "Yesh Gvul." *Theory and Criticism*, Special Issue: 50 to 48: Critical Moments in the History of the State of Israel, pp. 313-319 [Hebrew].
- Helman, S. and T. Rapoport. 1998.** "Frauen in Schwarz. Eine Herausforderung für die Geschlechterordnung und Gesellschaftspolitik in Israel." *Feministische Studien*, Heft 1 (Mai):7-25 (adaptation of the article published in the *British Journal of Sociology* 48,4).
- Helman, S. 1997.** "Militarism and the Construction of Community". *Journal of Political and Military Sociology* 25 (Winter):305-332
- Helman, S. and T. Rapoport. 1997.** "Women in Black: Challenging Israel's Gender and Socio-Political Orders". *British Journal of Sociology* 48,4:681-700.
- Helman, S and T. Rapoport. 1997.** "Women in Black: Challenging Israel's Social Order". *Theory and Criticism: An Israeli Forum*, 10: 175-192 [Hebrew]. (this article is an enlarged version of the English publication)
- Helman, S. 1988** "Turning Classic Models into Utopias: The Neo-Confucianist Critique". *International Journal of Comparative Sociology* 29, 1-2: 93-110
- Helman, S. 1988** "The Javanese Conception of Order and its Relationship to Millenarian Motifs and Imagery." *International Journal of Comparative Sociology* 29, 1-2: 126-138.
- c) Unrefereed professional articles and publications**
- Book Reviews**
- Helman, S. 2009.** Book Review: "Workers and Strangers," A. Kemp and R. Raichman. *Israeli Sociology* 11,1: 248-250.
- Helman, S. 2001.** 'The Spartan Ethic and the Athenian Experience: On 'As if there was no war' by Edna Lumsky-Feder. *Megamot* XLI, 3 (December): 464-468.
- Helman, S. 1996.** *The Changing Agenda of Israeli Sociology: Theory, Ideology and Identity*, by Uri Ram. *Megamot* 37,4: 481-484.
- Helman, S. 1996.** *Conscience at War: The Israeli Soldier as a Moral Critic*. by Ruth Linn. *Contemporary Jewry* 17: 197-199.



**Helman, S. 1996.** *Conscience at War: The Israeli Soldier as a Moral Critic.* by Ruth Linn. *Israel Social Science Research* 11,2: 67-71 (review article).

**d) Unpublished Research Reports.**

**Helman, S. 2001.** *Emerging Social Identities and their Impact on Society and the Military: A New Research Agenda.* Report Presented to the IDF Behavioral Sciences Research Branch.

**Helman, S. and B. Kimmerling. 1992.** *Paradigmatic War Rationality and the Constitution of the 'Different' Rationality of the Lebanon War.* Jerusalem, Department of Sociology, Research Report.

**Articles in non-peer reviewed publications and others:**

Helman, S. 2009. Is Public Sociology Possible in Neo-Liberal Israel? *Israeli Sociology* 10,2: 444-448.

**Lectures and Presentations at Meetings and Invited Seminars not Followed by Published Proceedings**

**a) Invited plenary lectures at conferences meetings**

**2007**

Is public sociology possible in Neo-Liberal Israel?  
Plenary Session in the Honor of Baruch Kimmerling. Israeli Sociological Society, February 2007, Tel Aviv University.

**2000**

Discussant – Opening session: Challenges to Democracy: Peripheries as a Vantage Point (Keynote Speakers: Prof. Charles Tilly – Columbia University and Prof. Baruch Kimmerling –Hebrew University). May 19-21

**1998**

Citizenship Regime, Identity and Peace Protest in Israel  
Workshop on Gender and Social Identity -- Social Science History Association Conference, Chicago (November 19-22)

**1997**

Conscientious Objection and the Redefinition of Citizenship in Israel.  
Open University Conference: Delegation of the Regime and of Society in Israel.

**1994**

Discussion: The Logic of the Israeli State: Managing War and Populations.  
Association for Israel Studies, Ben Gurion University

**1993**

Discussion: Reconsidering Civil Military Relations in Israel

M. Ginzburg Foundation Annual Meeting, Hebrew University

**b) Presentation of Papers at Professional Conferences**

**2012**

"Fighting Workfare and Poverty: Survival Strategies of Sanctioned Social Assistance Recipients in Israel." Second ISA Forum, Buenos Aires, 1-4 August.

**2012**

The Summer 2011 Protest and the Yearning for National Unity. Semi-plenary session. Israeli Sociological Association, February.

**2011**

"Weaning the Poor from the State: Activation and the Production of Responsible and Self-Sufficient Citizens in Israel." 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Espanet Conference: Sustainability and Transformation of European Social Policy. Valencia, Spain 8-10 September.

**2010**

Convener and Discussant: 1) "Activation Programs and the Commodification and Re-Commodification of Social Categories."  
2) "Comparing Activation Models and Policies." International Sociological Association Conference, Gothenburg, Sweden (July)

**2009**

"Imported Policy Ideas and the Initiation of Institutional Change: The borrowing and implementation of workfare in Israel." International Sociological Association RC 19 Annual Meeting, Montreal, Canada (August).

**2009**

"Let us help them to raise their children into good citizens – Mono-parental Families Act and the Wages of Caregiving in Israel." ESPANET, Urbino, Italy (September).

**2007**

"Let us help them to raise their children into good citizens – Mono-parental Families Act and the Wages of Caregiving in Israel.  
American Sociological Association Annual Meeting – New York (August)

**2006**

"Let us help them to raise their children into good citizens – Mono-parental Families Act and the Wages of Caregiving in Israel.  
Israeli Sociological Society Annual Conference- Bar Ilan University- Ramat Gan (February)

**2005**

"Let us help them to raise their children into good citizens" - The Single Parent Families Act and the Wages of Caregiving in Israel.

International Sociological Association –RC19 – Research Committee on Welfare and Poverty Workshop- Chicago, Il. (September) .

**2005**

Obstruction and Flexibility: On Israel's Citizenship Regime in the Age of Globalization.

Association for Israel Studies Annual Meeting, Tucson, Arizona (May).

**2004**

Constituting a Gendered Global Political Space: Women's International Struggle for Peace During WWI.

European Social Science History Conference, Berlin (March).

**2003**

Contentious Politics and Resistance: are they opposed concepts?

Mizrahim in Israel Conference, Van Leer Institute (January 2003)

**2002**

Incorporation Regimes and Identities: On the limits of identities' negotiations. Generations and Spaces in Israeli Sociology – Conference in the Honor of S.N. Eisenstadt. Jerusalem, Van-Leer Institute (December 22-23)

**2002**

Shas in Israeli Media Discourse – Workshop on Socio-Religious Movements and the Transformation of Political Community: Israel, Palestine and Beyond. University of California – Irvine (October 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>).

**2002**

Women's Peace Movements

Women's Movements and the Media Conference, Tel-Aviv University, May 2002.

**2001**

Difference and Essence: Arab-Jewish Dialogue Groups as Sites of Essentialization

Militarism and Education Conference, Hebrew University, May.

**2001**

Citizenship and Military Service in Israel

Youth and Military Service Conference

Bar-Ilan University, May

**2000**

The Limits of Maternal Politics: On motherhood and peace protest in Israel  
International Conference on Women, Equality and Democracy  
Ben Gurion University – Beersheva – Israel, November.

**1999**

Citizenship Regime, Militarism, Identity and Peace Protest in Israel

Civil and Military Society in Israel. Haifa University, Haifa (May 5-6)

**1999**

Citizenship Regime, Militarism, Identity and Peace Protest in Israel  
Challenging the Nation-State: Perspectives on Citizenship and Identity.  
Ben Gurion University, Beersheva (January 10-2)

**1998**

Jewish-Arab Dialogue Groups as Sites of Essentialization  
International Sociological Association Conference, Montreal (August)

**1997**

War, National Identity and Citizenship in Israel  
A Conference in the Honor of Prof. Moshe Lissak, Hebrew University  
(December 2-3)

**1997**

Women in Black: Challenging Israel's Socio-Political Order  
International Conference of Contemporary Jewry, Jerusalem (August 4)

**1996**

Militarism and the Constitution of the Subjectivity of Israeli Males.  
Changes in the Research Agenda of Israeli Society Conference, Tel-Aviv  
University –(December 18-19)

**1996**

Negotiating Obligations, Creating Rights: Conscientious Objection and the  
Redefinition of Citizenship in Israel.  
Citizenship and the State in the Middle-East Conference. Oslo, Norway  
(November)

**1996**

Negotiating Obligations, Creating Rights: Conscientious Objection and the  
Redefinition of Citizenship in Israel.  
Association of Israel Studies Annual Conference, Boston, USA  
(June)

**1996**

Women in Black: Challenging Israel's Gender and Socio-Political Order.  
Conference on Ethnicity in Israel and USA. Department of Sociology,  
University of California, Los Angeles, USA.

**1995**

Citizenship, Conscientious Objection and the Military State.  
Second Conference of "Theory, Culture and Society", Berlin, Germany

**1995**

The Reserve System in Israel: Militarism and the Life-World of Israeli Males.  
Israeli Anthropological Association Annual Conference, Ein-Guedi, Israel.

**1994**

Conscientious Objection to Military Service: Redefining Citizen Duties and Constituting Civil Society in Israel  
European Society for Adult Education Workshop, Strohl, Austria.

**1994**

Conscientious Objection to Military Service: Redefining Citizenship Duties and Constituting Civil Society in Israel.  
International Sociological Association Conference, Bielefeld, Germany

**1994**

Surviving Through Ritual: The Puzzle of the Endurance of a Women's Peace Movement: Women in Black.  
International Sociological Association Conference, Bielefeld, Germany

**1992**

Paradigmatic War Discourse and the Constitution of the Alien Rationality of the War in Lebanon.  
International Seminar on: Conscientious Objection: From Religious Pacifism to Political Protest -- Cesarea, Israel

**c) Seminars at Universities and Institutions**

**2011**

Is the control over the military equal to the control over militarism? Discussion of "Who Controls the Military in Israel?" by Yagil Levy. Open University – Raanana (July 13<sup>th</sup>).

**2010**

Citizenship Regimes as Visibility Regimes. Discussion of "Visibility in Migration," Edna Lomski-Feder and Tamar Rapoport. Van Leer Institute (September).

**2007**

The Border as a Colonial Dillusion. Discussion of Lev Grinberg: "Imagined Democracy," Van Leer Institute (December).

**2007**

Discussant- "Brothers and Others in Arms"- Danny Kaplan  
Department of Sociology- Tel Aviv University (May)

**2007**

Is there an hegemonic masculinity? Discussion Panel on "Zehuiot BeMadim" by Orna Sasson-Levy - Van Leer Institution- Jerusalem (March)

**2006**

Monoparental Families Act and the Wages of Caregiving  
Department of Social Work, Ben Gurion University  
(June)

**2006**

Discussant- Yagil Levy –Material Militarism in Israel  
Department of Sociology – Hebrew University (January)

**2005**

Conscientious Objection and Israeli Civil Militarism 1982-2004.  
Department of Sociology, Northwestern University (May)

**1997**

Conscientious Objection and the Redefinition of Political Identity  
Departmental Colloquium, Department of Sociology, Tel-Aviv University  
(April)

**1997**

From War Resistance to the Redefinition of Citizenship: Conscientious  
Objection during the War in Lebanon.  
Departmental Colloquium, Institute of Criminology, Hebrew University,  
Jerusalem (March 3).

**1993**

Redefining Citizenship Obligations: Conscientious Objection During the War  
in Lebanon.  
Departmental Colloquium - Department of Behavioral Sciences, Ben Gurion  
University.

- **Research Fellowships and Grants**

**2008-** Workfare and Farewell to Maternalism: The Gender Dynamics, Meanings  
and Practices of Welfare to Work Programs in Israel. Israel Science  
Foundation- Grant # 1115\_2008.

**2002/3**

Socio-Religious Movements and the Transformation of Political Community:  
Israel, Palestine and Beyond. Investigators: Mark Le-vine, Peter Wagner, Issam  
Aburaiya, Sara Helman, Sami Shalom Chetrit, Remma Chammami, Oren  
Yiftachel. International Research Collaborative Grant -- Social Sciences  
Research Council -- USA.

**1999**

Globalization and its Effects on the Negev. Ministry of Science.  
Principal Investigator: Uri Ram. Co-investigators: Nitza Berkovitch, Fran  
Markowitz, Andre Levy, Nati Uriely, Sara Helman. Amount: 100.000 U\$\$.

**1999**

The Influence of Emerging Social Identities on the Israeli Defense  
Forces (this project is funded by the ministry of Defense and the IDF. (Amount:  
90.000 U\$S). Principal Investigator.

**1998**

El Hama'ayan: from political mobilization to community  
ConstructionThe. Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities – Ben Gurion

University – (together with Dr. A. Levy). Amount: 10.000 IS.

### **1996**

Abraham Fund -- Intergroup Relations in the Arab-Israeli Context -- Amount: \$7.000 (together with Dr. N. Yanai).

### **1994**

Executive Council for Higher Education Young Researchers Grant.  
Amount: \$10.000

### **1991-1992**

Harry S. Truman Research Institute for the Advancement of Peace,  
Hebrew University -- Research Fellowship: Women and Peace.  
Amount: \$2.000 (together with Dr. T. Rapoport).

### **1991**

Eshkol Institute, Faculty of Social Sciences, Hebrew University--  
Research Grant: “The Protest Vigil of Women in Black as a Political  
Performance”. Amount: \$5.000 (together with Dr. T. Rapoport).

### **1990-1991**

United Peace Institute for Peace -- Research Grant: “Changing Cultural  
Conceptions of War and Peace: The Case of the Peace Protesters during the  
Lebanon War”. Amount: \$20.000

### **1988-1989**

Sheine Center for Research in the Social Sciences, Department of Sociology,  
Hebrew University. Doctoral Research Grant. Amount: \$ 6.000

- **Present Academic Activities**

#### **Research in Progress**

Gendering the Welfare State in Israel  
Workfare and Farewell to Maternalism: The Gender Dynamics, Meanings and  
Practices of Welfare to Work Programs in Israel

#### **Under Review:**

##### Articles:

From mass demonstrations to the creation of an unofficial archive of the Occupation:  
The changing politics of peace in Israel

How cashiers, nurse aids and cleaning workers were transformed into entrepreneurs:  
Workfare and the construction of the entrepreneurial self

Shas and the resignification of the intersection of religion and ethnicity

##### Book Chapter:

From the demonstration and the vigil to testimony and confession: the new politics of  
peace in Israel

**Articles in Preparation**

In preparation:

Wisconsin in Jerusalem: the borrowing, translation, and implementation of policy ideas and institutional change

Weaning the Poor from the State: Activation and the Production of Responsible and Self-Sufficient Citizens in Israel.

State-Private Actors Partnerships as a Strategy in Intra-State Conflicts: The Case of the Workfare Implementation in Israel (together with Asa Maron)